

Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, Wednesday, May 20th, 1908.

DRUMB & SUTOR, Publishers.

The Great May Clearing Sale

Still goes on. Better than ever and stronger than ever. We have "dipped down" deep into our bargain stock and brought to light on the bargain counters **Hundreds of New Articles Right Out of the Heart of this Season's Merchandise**, and this sale for the coming week will prove a rich harvest to people looking for true values among the necessities of everyday life.

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 21, 22nd 23

we will offer special bargain values not before shown on any sale.

White Lisle Gloves

16 button white lisle gloves, nearly all sizes, of extra quality lisle, regular 1.25 grades, at this sale a pair... **49c**

Wide Satin Ribbons

In high colors, a special value of extra good satin, widths 40, 60 and 80, a yard... **13c**

Gingham Underskirts

In fancy nurses' stripes and colors, full deep ruffled flounce and dust ruffle, special values, each... **50c to \$1.50**

Toile-Du-Nords

The staple dress gingham and best American product on the market, regular 15c values. We have selected a quantity of these ginghams and will offer them, on the second floor bargain tables, at a yard... **12c**

Silk Values

A remarkable showing in fancy foulards, in light colors, Cheney's latest patterns, regular 1.25 grades, now... **89c**
Plaid Taffetas in 20 in. widths in small fashionable checks, a yard... **52c**
19 in. silk moirés in light shades regular 75c values... **25c**
Fancy stripes in colors, of 19 in. taffeta, 75c a yard, to close at... **39c**
Colored China silks, a few colors left, 50c values... **39c**

Muslin Underskirts

Of marked values, in lace and embroidery patterns, at each from... **75c to \$3.00**

L.L. Unbleached Cotton

White the present stock lasts, crown L. L. unbleached cotton, 36 in. wide, regular 8c cotton, 64x64 count, a yard 5c 10 yd. lot to any customer. John Clark thread, black and white, all sizes, 2 spools 5c

Wool Dress Suitings

In fancy patterns and plain colors of spring design, 50c suitings 39c 75c suitings 59c 85c " 69c 1.00 " 79c

Our Special 5 Cent Bargain Counter

SECOND FLOOR

Saxony yarn, all colors, a skein... **5c**
50 yards spool silk, all colors, 2 spools... **5c**
White ocean rail buttons, all sizes, a card 5c
Hand made towel doilies, 6 inches in diameter, each... **5c**
Women's sleeveless vests, white... **5c**
Twilled cotton crash, 16 in. wide... **5c**
Assortment of embroideries, a yard... **5c**

Special Bargain Prices on Women's Walking Skirts

Women's walking skirt in tan and brown plaids, made up in latest patterns and tan covers. Regular \$7.25, to close at... **\$5.79**
Women's gray and brown plaid walking skirts, full 3/4 yd. sweep, plain gored pattern with folds on flounce. Special at... **\$2.39**
Women's dark oxford gray work skirt, \$2.75 regular, now... **\$1.79**
Black and gray checks, made plain gored, full flounce trimmed with two bias folds. Box pleated pannelled front, \$3.75 regular, for this sale... **\$2.79**
Shepard's plaids in broken checks in gray and tan shades and one number in dark plain gray, full plain gored. Regular \$5.00 garment, closing on this sale, each... **\$3.79**
An assortment of walking skirts in broken checks and plaids. Well made and full sweep. A good value at the regular price \$7.00, now... **\$4.49**
Women's plain gray with pleated flounce nicely and artistically made. Regular \$8, to close now for... **\$4.79**

Shoes - Shoes

The shoe values still continue to be the popular trading center of this great sale.
Infants and childrens shoes up to size 6 and slippers to size 7 in black or tan, a pair... **50c**
Childrens and Misses shoes and oxfords, a few tans, all of fine grade a pair... **78c**
Youths oxfords with low heels in patent leather, fine vici kid with patent tips etc., a pair... **98c**
Youths shoes in kid with patent tips, box calf, value, etc., light and heavy weight, a pair... **\$1.18**
Childrens shoes in fine and coarse grades, a pair... **\$1.38**
Mens and young mens shoes in heavy soles, medium and heavy uppers, a pair... **\$1.58**
Women's house shoes and slippers, all sizes in good easy grades, a pair... **78c**
Women's fine shoes in lace and button, light and medium soles, a superior value at a pair... **98c**
Women's shoes in fine grades of kid leather with patent tips. House slippers, etc., a pair... **\$1.38**
Women's oxfords in finer grades of patent leather and vici kid with patent tips, a pair... **\$1.58**
Women's fine shoes in black and tan and in oxfords. Better than you can buy today for \$3, our sale price... **\$1.98**
Queen Quality oxfords in spring styles in patent leather, Guf Metal, etc., all 53 grades, now... **\$2.38**
Douglas & Means shoes for men, and other standard brands in the new spring shapes, not a few to choose from but dozens of pairs.
\$3.00 grades now... **\$2.50**
\$3.50 grades now... **\$3.00**

You have to see to appreciate the wonderful values that we are giving during this sale. Hence you should come and visit this sale.

Johnson & Hill Co.'s

DRY GOODS DEPT.

Given Appointment as District Manager.

A. L. Putnam has returned from Escanaba, Michigan, where he has been employed by the Federal Life Insurance Co.
Mr. Putnam has been appointed district manager for the U. S. Annuity and Life Insurance Co. of Chicago, for the central Wisconsin district, which embraces seven counties. Grand Rapids will be his headquarters as Wood is one of the counties under his supervision.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my heartfelt thanks to the kind neighbors and friends who willingly extended their aid during the sickness and after the death of my father, Louis Narrows. I wish especially to thank the Woman's Relief Corps and the members of the Grand Army.

Paint Point.

Johnson & Hill Co. are agents for Penikese paint, oil and varnish. They have everything to interest you.

A Summer Dairy Student.

L. G. Simpson, who was recently appointed assistant in the dairy department of the Oregon State Agricultural College, has registered for a summer course in the dairy school of the University of Wisconsin.

Civil Service Examination.

Earl Bryan, Henry Carlson and A. D. Hill took the civil service examination last Saturday for tariff clerk. The examination being under the civil service commission. George Olson's also took the examination for stenographer.

Federation Notes.

The Federated clubs of this city feel much encouraged over the bill board question. During the past week one of our most prominent business men refused the offer of a big concern to lease the side of one of his buildings for advertising purposes. This meant a loss in dollars to the man, but certainly a gain for the town, in proving how our best business people are coming to regard these unsightly nuisances.

Wausau has organized a Civic League for the improving and beautifying of the city. They are planning parks and beauty spots and have engaged Mrs. McGraw, the landscape artist, to lay out their grounds for them. After careful inquiry they found Mrs. McGraw's terms the most satisfactory of the many consulted. This is of interest to us as Mrs. McGraw also laid out our park.

The new year book for the Federation will soon be out. The program will include a few lectures and musical entertainments. While it is desired to make the most of home talent, it is quite necessary to have new ideas from outside as well. This need not become a large item of expense, as a small fee is asked for admittance which practically covers most of the expense. During the past year there have been five speakers upon different topics of interest, the entire expense of which was only \$50 to the Federation.

A New Drop Curtain.

The auditorium stage of the Lincoln high school has been provided with a new drop curtain lately and it is quite an improvement over the old one.

The new curtain hangs in a circle so that it covers to the edge of the stage, the distance being thirty-two feet. The curtain is 8 feet high with a valance 32 inches deep. It is so arranged that it raises in four sections and is made of deep red silk plush. The curtain cost \$300 and was paid for by the scholars of the school by the giving of entertainments. Besides this they have also purchased a box of cushions for mission furniture that was manufactured in the manual training department.

The Lincoln high school now has the finest auditorium stage of any school in the state. The curtain is of the same material as the one recently installed in the Majestic Theater in Milwaukee.

Summer Institutes.

Two farmers institutes will be held in Wood County during the coming June, one to be at Arpin and one at Randolph.

The one at Arpin will occur on the 5th of June and will be conducted by W. C. Bradley. The one at Randolph occurs on the 4th of June and will also be conducted by Mr. Bradley.

The Tribune has received no particulars concerning these institutes but it is supposed that they will be conducted along the same lines as the winter institutes. Any desired information can be obtained by addressing Geo. McKarrow, Supt., Madison, Wis.

A New Postmaster.

Grand Rapids has a new postmaster in the person of R. A. McDonald. He having taken charge of the office on Sunday.

The changing of postmasters is quite an operation when the same political party stays in power right along, as in the present case, several months elapsed between the time when the old postmaster's term expired and the appointment of a new one.

Charles Natwick has been tendered and has accepted the position of assistant postmaster, and it is understood that otherwise the force will remain the same.

Merrill Wins First Game.

The baseball team from Merrill played with the city team in this city on Sunday and the result was a victory for the Merrill boys by a score of five to four.

As usual in such cases the game was a good one and the home team had the lead until well along in the game when they went up in the air, and when they struck ground again it was all over but the shooting.

Our local team has some wood timber in it and when the boys steady down they may be able to play ball.

The weather was ideal on Sunday and a large crowd turned out to see the game.

Knudson Wins Case.

The case of Ole M. Knudson vs. the Milladore Lumber company was tried out in circuit court last week. The proceedings taking up nearly the entire week. The jury decided in favor of the plaintiff, but a new trial has been granted in the matter.

The case was over a sum of money claimed to be due the plaintiff for wages. He claiming that he should have received millwright's wages at \$2.00 per day while the defendant wanted to pay him off at \$1.75 per day.

Fred Beell Loses Bout to Dr. Roller.

A special from Seattle, Wash., says: "Dr. B. F. Roller, the wrestler, won in two straight falls from Fred Beell of Marshfield, Wis., last night. The first fall was obtained at the end of 1 hour and 16 minutes, and the second in 3 minutes of spectacular work."

WORKDAYS ARE OVER

A Large Class to Finish Work at the Local High School Next Week

Commencement will occur at the Lincoln high school next week. The first thing being the class play which occurs on Tuesday evening, the title being "The Cricket on the Hearth," by Charles Dickens. The cast for the play is as follows:

John Perrybingle... Leo Nash
John Tackleton... George H. Owens
Mr. Tackleton... Earl H. Hill
Caleb Plummer... Floyd E. Palmer
Old Gentleman... Floyd E. Palmer
Dot (Mrs. Perrybingle)...
Marguerite A. Voyer
Rena B. Phillos
Mrs. Fielding... Elsie Ann Baruch
Mrs. Fielding... Gertrude A. Mason
Tillie Slawboy... Bertha A. Gurler
On Thursday evening there will be a program on "Wisconsin and Grand Rapids" which will be as follows:

Musical... Selected High School Orchestra
Physiographic Features of Wisconsin
Dolla Fern Mickelson
Natural Wonders of Wisconsin...
Dennis J. Corcoran
Wisconsin's Great Men and Women
Amanda O. Voyer
What Wisconsin is Doing for the Farmers... Benjamin H. Taylor
The Cranberry Industry in Wisconsin
Raymond A. Wiley
Early Days along the Wisconsin
Anthony J. Lucas
Some Interesting Features in the History of Grand Rapids...
William Ryland Boorman

On Friday evening will occur the class day and graduating exercises of which the following is a program:

(a) The Merry Miller... R. DeKoven
(b) Bright Star of Eve... Marshall Glee Club
Oration—The Children of the Poor in Large Cities...
Lulu Mott
Oration... The Spirit of Success
Jesse A. Wagner
Tinker's Song... R. DeKoven
Boys Chorus
Oration... The Social Crime
Walter J. Wesenberg
Oration... Liberty under Law
Clarence E. Jackson
Invitation to the Dance... Wiegand Glee Club Quartette
Class History... James Roland Love
Class Poem... Ruth Caroline Bennett
Class Prophecy... Bella Rockett
Cassio M. Canine
Martin A. Panter

The Beautiful Blue Danube... Glee Club
Presentation of Diplomas, I. P. Wither, President of Board of Education.

Following are the names of the graduates:

GERMAN COURSE.
Elsie Ann Baruch, Ruth Caroline Bennett, Cassio Margaret Canine, Bertha A. Gurler, Clarence E. Jackson, Gertrude A. Mason, Dolla Fern Mickelson, Lulu Mott, Leo Nash, Rena B. Phillos, Amanda O. Voyer, Marguerite A. Voyer, Walter J. Wesenberg.

LATIN COURSE.

William Ryland Boorman.
MANUAL TRAINING COURSE.
Dennis J. Corcoran, James Roland Love, Floyd E. Palmer, Martin H. Panter, Jesse A. Wagner.

ENGLISH COURSE.

George H. Owens, Benjamin H. Taylor, Raymond A. Wiley.
MODERN CLASSICAL COURSE.
Earl M. Hill, Anthony J. Lucas, Bella Rockett.

Class Motto—Labor Conquers All.
Class Colors—Maroon and Cream.
Class Flower—Red Carnation.

Hurt in a Runaway.

Wausau Record—"A runaway on Saturday resulted in the injury of Miss Marion West of this city and J. O. Davis of Grand Rapids. The young people were driving on Fallon street when a tag became unfastened, frightened the horses and causing them to run away. The occupants of the carriage were thrown out and both sustained injuries which confined them to the house for several days. Miss West was badly bruised and is still suffering from the shock of the accident. Mr. Davis will be sufficiently recovered to return home the last of the week."

The above item will no doubt prove a surprise to some of the readers of the Tribune. Mr. Davis spent several days in the city during the past week but he never said a word about having run away with a young lady or with a young man, and he seemed to be enjoying the best of health and had no cuts, bruises or blood stains that were visible to the naked eye. We hope that the next time Jay runs away with a young lady he will bring her here and let us all see her.

Dessaint-Hopkins.

Miss Lida Dessaint of this city and Maurice Hopkins of Vesta, South Dakota were married at Rapids City, S. D., on May 13. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Dessaint of this city, and was born reared here. They expect to reside for the present at Vesta.

Mr. and Mrs. John Myron of Tomahawk were in the city over Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Harvey. Mrs. Myron is a sister of Mrs. Harvey and they were on their way home from their wedding trip.

Mrs. J. T. Wright is spending a few days at Neenah and other points in the Fox River Valley.

Decoration Day Program.

Saturday, May 30th is Decoration and Memorial day and it will be fittingly observed under the auspices of Wood County Post No. 22 and the W. R. C. assisted by the Grand Rapids City band, Civic societies, citizens and school children. Following is an outline of the exercises for the day:

In the morning the procession will form in line in front of near the City Hall, west side at 9:30 a. m. sharp under the supervision of Comrade Geo. W. Baker, marshal of the day. G. A. R. Post and W. R. C. will meet at post room at 8 a. m. sharp under command of W. H. Gatta Post commander. Then they will proceed to City Hall, west side, to take up line of march.

Order of march will start at 9:30 a. m. as follows:
City band, Wood County Post No. 22, Women's Relief Corps, Civic Societies, School children, Citizens.
All old soldiers of the war of 61 to 65. Sons of Veterans and Spanish American war veterans are welcome and all are cordially invited to join in the ranks to help make this Decoration day one to be long remembered by all loyal citizens.

It being services at the grave of a last comrade who shall have passed away before Decoration day the comrade is unable to state at present what grave services will be held at but if no comrade shall pass away before Decoration day then the services will be held at Catholic cemetery at the grave of our late comrade, Louis Narrows.

Musical at grave by band.
In the afternoon Wood County Post and W. R. C. will be escorted to opera house at two o'clock sharp when the following program will be rendered:
G. A. R. ritual exercises.
G. A. R. Post No. 22.
Music... Chorus
Reading of Lincoln's Address...
T. J. Connor
Opening prayer... Post Chaplain
Music... Choir
Recitation... Earl Hill
Oration... Father Reading
Oration Day... Choir
Music... Mrs. Kammer
Recitation... Chorus by Audubon America... Post Chaplain
Benediction... By W. H. Gatta, Commander Wood County Post No. 22 G. A. R.

\$7.30 Chicago and Return.

Excursion rates via the Chicago & North Western Ry. to the Chicago National Convention. Tickets on sale at above rate from this station daily from June 12 to 17. Return limit June 30. Ask ticket agent for particulars.

Bound Over to Circuit Court.

Michael Stankovich was examined before Justice Keyes on Monday and was bound over to the circuit court. Stankovich is the man who is alleged to have murdered his fellow workman while on their way home from church a week ago last Sunday, and the charge against him is assault with intent to rob.

Committees Appointed.

The Federated clubs have completed their committees for the coming year. The work will be largely along the same lines as last year. The schedule includes besides Civic Improvement, School, Art, Literary and Entertainment, two new committees the Relief and Press committees. Many of our people have felt that the time was ripe for an Association of Charities. As the problem seemed beyond any one organization or church, it was thought that through the Federation, a beginning might be made in an organized effort in this direction. The work is planned along the lines of the Associated Charities. Its object is to relieve the needy people of the town, who through illness or lack of employment are in need of food, clothing or fuel. The chairman, Mrs. Lawrence Nash, has appointed in each ward a vice-chairman to report the needy cases to that ward. The needy cases to that ward. The needy cases to that ward. The needy cases to that ward.

The Relief committee consists of Mrs. Lawrence Nash, chairman; Mrs. Guy O. Haddock, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. E. W. Ellis, Mrs. T. E. Muller, Mrs. E. W. Ellis, Mrs. George L. Williams.

WARD CHAIRMEN.

First ward—Mrs. J. T. Houghton.
Second ward—Mrs. A. L. Voss.
Third ward—Mrs. Geo. W. Moad.
Fourth ward—Mrs. J. J. Looze.
Fifth ward—Mrs. Kruger.
Sixth ward—Mrs. C. A. Boorman.
Seventh ward—Mrs. E. Rooster.
Eighth ward—Mrs. J. W. Natwick.
South Side—Miss Nason.

This committee has no funds at present, and already several cases have come to the notice of the chairman.

In order to meet this condition, a Coffee Klatch has been arranged for at the home of Mrs. E. W. Ellis, at Thursday afternoon, May 28th, to which all ladies interested in this work are most cordially invited.

Bids Wanted.

Sealed proposals will be accepted till noon on the 12th day of June, 1908 for erection of parsonage at the St. Lawrence Catholic Church in this city. Each bid should be accompanied by \$25 in cash or check as a partial payment. Plans and specifications may be examined at Rev. J. M. Korcak's residence, 1125 Fremont St., Grand Rapids, to whom also bids should be forwarded. The building committee reserves itself the right of rejecting any or all bids. By order of Bldg. Committee, St.

Paperhanging and Painting.

Interior finishing of all kinds. Our papering is first class. We also handle Alfred Water paper wall paper and will be pleased to take your order at reasonable prices. Nelson Laramie, Phone 89.

Midsummer Excursion to Chicago.

Account Republican Convention. Round trip tickets will be on sale via the Chicago & North Western Ry. at rate of \$7.80 from this station. Return limit June 30. Ask agent for particulars.

House for Sale.

—I have a good sized home on Second street I will sell cheap. Same to be moved off my lot.
H. S. Voss, Phone 87.

We Have Them

When you are ready to purchase that watch, be sure and come to see US.
We shall be pleased to see YOU, and will take pleasure in showing our line of watches, and you will find that our prices are RIGHT.
Don't buy a watch simply because the dealer tells you it is cheap. You cannot depend on a watch that is put on the market by unscrupulous manufacturers simply to sell.
We can especially recommend the South Bend and Illinois movements to give entire satisfaction, and have a supply of these watches in stock at all times.
It will cost you nothing to call and see them, and you are always welcome, buy or not.

A. P. Hirzy
Jeweler and Optician
WATCH INSPECTOR FOR C. N. N. W. RY.

Sale On

Muslin Underwear and Shirt Waists

One Day Only, Saturday May, 23d

Having just purchased a large and complete line of muslin underwear of the largest factory in the east, I have decided to close out every garment now in stock, absolutely none reserved; and to effect a quick and complete clearance I will place on sale the biggest bargains in muslin underwear ever offered. We wish to close out every garment now in stock, hence these under-priced values.

Special Values in Shirt Waists

Ladies' 2.00 and 2.25 waists, lace and embroidery trimmed, in brocade, short sleeves... **1.79**
Ladies' lace and embroidery trimmed, in batiste and lawn, long and short sleeves... **98c**
Ladies' regular 3.00 waists, a large variety of styles to choose from... **2.48**
Ladies' lace and embroidery trimmed, in batiste and lawn, long and short sleeves, reg'r 1.50 to 1.75 value... **1.29**

Special Values in Ladies' Under Muslin

1 lot lace trimmed corset covers... **5c**
Regular 75c ladies' drawers at... **49c**
1 lot ladies, 25c corset covers and drawers... **17c**
Regular 1.00 skirts and gowns at... **79c**
1 lot ladies' 50c skirts and pants... **33c**
Regular 1.25 and 1.50 skirts and gowns... **1.09**
Regular 2.00 skirts and gowns at... **1.49**

Large Discount on All Higher Priced Garments.

Oxfords—All Colors, All Styles

We have a full line of Men's Women's and Children's tan and patent leather Oxfords on hand for your inspection.
Styles Right, Prices Right, Quality Better Than Ever.

J. T. SCHUMACHER

Grand Rapids, Wisconsin

The Old Stage Station at Bluewater
(The Original Adobe Structure on the Right)

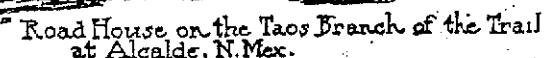
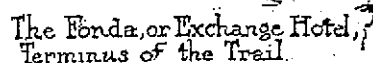
"There's an instinct of orderliness," said a doctor, "that sometimes works harm. It is in the instinct that manifests itself in the clearing up of a multitude of little things before a really big thing is undertaken.

"I see a good many instances of it in my practice; more, perhaps, in the case of women than of men. It comes from a desire to free one's mind for the important task, and, like numerous other desires that work out rather differently from what we intend, is in itself commendable enough. A woman, for example, has a lotter of moments to write. Does she sit down and write that letter? No, the chances are that she doesn't. Other matters to which she has to attend crowd in upon her, and off she goes, doing first this thing and then that, the thought of the letter in her mind all the time. When the 'breasting spell' comes, she sits at her desk and quite likely that she is tired or, at least, has taken the first

than what they were.

"It's the same way with men of too precise a temperament, although with men the instances are not so great in number, for the very good reason that they are most precise of them have to get quickly under the spur of necessity more often than women. But a well-developed case of fussiness is more serious in a man than in a woman: His clearing of the decks for an action of consequence generates into a petty irritation of nerves. A woman, on the other hand, finds that his business, to say nothing of his peace of mind, suffers as a result.

"There is one rule that such people should steel themselves to follow, and that is to take the biggest thing first and dispose of it. Putting it off till last is a recipe for the loss of the economy of time or effort. The little things should be relegated to their proper place, which is in the rear of the procession."



lains. Not until the Texans and some irresponsible traders began Indian scalping was the price of a scalp lifting as a measure of retaliation.

Journey One of a Hardship. Nevertheless, the long distance that had to be traversed over waterless deserts, the heat of the treeless plains and the lack of water supply, the caravans sometimes overtook the caravans made the journey, under the most

it up for a song—60 cents, to be exact—on East Broadway. A lovely carved ivory crucifix came from a particularly meaningful scene in the Bowery—something pathetic about this pawned crucifix, don't you think so?—and a nice jade bracelet. They were all dirt cheap. Somehow you don't need so extraordinary buying these things. I saw a newspaper that was getting so much local color thrown in for you, you know."

SECRETARY. TAFT ON TRUSTS

ling off of enough factories to reduce the production of this one corporation to a point where it would no longer have a monopoly. But this could not mean closing up of the factories. The people would still need the article and the article would still have to be produced. But the in-

state is out of employment, what
t be the proportion of jobless men
the unorganized trades and occu-
ons? The campaign slogan of "the
dinner pail" would elicit more
s than cheers if offered to the
kingmen of New York to-day.

poison hat" he went on. "Is
whose leather sweatband has been
and with white lead, litharge and
with charcoal, lime and fluo-

...to an atmosphere containing saturated hydrogen—that is the test for poisonous. They contain nearly a grain of lead to the whole inch; and 37 grains to the square hand. Some health battens are now going of woolen, absorbent sweatbands, or three to a hat that you take and wash, like underwear, every

Guernseys. Two new organizations for breeders have recently been formed by Prof. G. C. Humphrey, head of department of animal industry at University of Wisconsin college of agriculture. The Wisconsin R. & S. Cattle Breeders' association was formed at Marshfield with Theodore F. V. Aedon, Marshfield, as president.

uppose I was to blame for it. We were left there, in short, the exact time of the ship's sailing having slipped my mind. So many things to do in Athens, you know. But by travelling overland we managed to catch up with the vessel and, as I have told my wife repeatedly, it's just that sort of thing that gives variety to a European tour.

holding each other for the exercise
of this gift I long to cry: Is it not tire-
some enough in all conscience to have
to keep up a brave show of reason for
one's friends, without wearing a uni-
form of logic in private? Laugh at
each other's unreason for your pas-
time and heaven bless you!—Zola,
"The Loves of Pelleas and I-
selle."

"A poison hat," he went on, "is one whose leather sweatband has been tanned with white lead. Litharge and white lead are the deadliest poisons."

posed to an atmosphere containing sulphurated hydrogen, that is the test—are poisonous. They contain nearly a grain of lead to the square inch, or about 37 grains to the whole band.

Some health haters are now going in for woolen, absorbent sweatbands, two or three to a hat, that you take off and wash, like underwear, every week.

held at Pythian temple, and general invitations to all Wesconsin residents. The national capital were extended. Representative Esch was authorized by the Wisconsin congressional delegation to make necessary arrangements and he co-operated with the Wisconsin Republican club of the District of Columbia.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

PASTURE TO LET—Inquire of Hutz Grogan, Grand Rapids, Wis. Mrs. John Bell Sr. is seriously ill this week.

Seaman Vroman spent Sunday in Junction City.

Anquet Randall spent Sunday with friends in Wausau.

W. H. Carey transacted business in LaCrosse on Monday.

Patronize the pony express—Miss Mary Kirkland spent Sunday with relatives in Redolph.

Peter Christman transacted business in Marshfield on Friday.

Rev. Wm. Reding transacted business in Keweenaw on Tuesday.

The city ball team will play a return game at Merrill on Sunday.

Oliver Akey is spending this week in Chicago taking in the sights.

Mrs. A. G. Miller spent Saturday in Wausau visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ostrowski spent Saturday with relatives in Nekeosha.

Louis Schall sold his driving horse on Monday to a party from Michigan.

Martin Beaver of Bruce was in the city over Sunday visiting his people.

Mrs. Julian Welch spent Thursday visiting with relatives in Jefferson.

Abstracts of Title and Insurance of all kinds. Call on Edward N. Pomsinville.

Mrs. Grace Parker and J. E. Bassett spent Sunday with friends at Stevens Point.

Dr. J. W. Rockwell was called to Neesham on Monday on professional business.

John Young and a crew of painters are busy painting the residence of L. M. Nash.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Housma of Neesham were in the city on Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Letz and children spent Sunday with relatives in Neesham.

Miss Ruth Kinney has accepted a position as bookkeeper in the Riverside laundry.

Chas. Halvorsen and Frank Abel transacted business in Chicago several days this week.

Mrs. F. M. Hillmyer of Neesham spent the past week in the city visiting with friends.

Patronize the pony express—Senator T. W. Brazner has been chosen an alternate delegate to the National convention.

Mrs. O. H. Buxant of Fond du Lac is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Voss this week.

Patronize the pony express—Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Jackson spent Sunday in Redolph, the guests at the home of Dr. J. A. Jackson.

Larry Ward and son George of Baheok were in the city yesterday in attendance at the tax sale.

Ray Johnson of Sartell, Minn. spent Sunday in the city with his mother, Mrs. Nels Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burnell are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy at their home last week.

Mrs. Beulah Biron has been in Chicago several days during the past week visiting with relatives.

Anquet Krutz was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Saturday while in the city on business.

O. B. Arnold and Will Karpis of Marshfield were in the city on Tuesday in attendance at the tax sale.

WANTED—to buy a second hand office chair. Inquire at Tribune office.

George Booth of the Booth-Blodgett Lumber Co. of Marshfield was a business visitor in the city on Tuesday.

O. R. Goldworthy of Vesper was in the city a short time on Monday, enroute to Fond du Lac on business.

Mr. Alfred Panter left today for a week's visit with relatives at Waukegan.

Mrs. Wm. Panter and little daughter are spending a few days with relatives at Almond.

Mrs. J. S. Clark, Mrs. A. M. Wild and G. J. Clark of Duluth are guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Clark.

Wausau is to have free mail delivery. Three carriers will be put on and the service will be started July 1st.

Miss Violine Turbin returned to Milwaukee on Saturday after spending two weeks in the city visiting her relatives.

Hosert Bros. are having a cement walk in front of the Erie Nelson residence on French street.

The High Standard Penitentiary is sold by Johnson & Hill Co. Call at the drug store for price.

Miss Beulah Miller spent Sunday at Stevens Point visiting her sister, Miss Kern, who is attending school there.

Stevens Point is to get \$85,000 for a new postoffice building. This amount put up quite a respectable looking shack.

FOR RENT—7 room house with good barn and cellar in Wisconsin addition for \$7 per month. Inquire of Matt Cary.

Editor and Mrs. Hutchinson of Neesham were in the city for a short time on Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reichel.

George Reynolds of Marshfield was among those from out of town who attended the tax sale at the court house on Tuesday.

Pat Pasano spent Sunday in Redolph, the guest of his son, Chas. who has charge of the Chas. Only farm this summer.

Maurice the tailor is showing some handsome suits for men's suits just at present. He guarantees satisfaction as to fit.

Mrs. Nellie Hanna who was called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. St. Anour, returned to her home in Chicago on Saturday.

Almon J. O. Davis of Radisson spent several days in the city during the past week, being engaged in attending to local matters.

Are your clothes ragged? Call at the Grand Rapids Tailoring Co. and be measured for a suit that will be a pleasure to wear.

City Atty. E. O. Pore and City Clerk Michael Fleckenstein of Marshfield attended the tax sale at the court house on Tuesday.

Joe Grandshaw of Redolph was in the city on Saturday transacting some business matters. This office acknowledges a pleasant call.

Misses Mabel McFarland and Luella Taylor spent Saturday and Sunday in Madison, guests of Ernest McFarland who is attending the University.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Meade and niece Natalie Spafford, Fred Stamm, Harry Dever and W. A. Drumb fished trout at Amherst Junction on Sunday.

Richard Rozin, a prominent cranberry grower of Warrens, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rozin in the town of Redolph.

Ben Withorn of the south-side returned last week from Holyoke, Mass., where he has been employed in a paper mill the past two years.

Have you any of those neat Abstracts of Title at Edward N. Pomsinville maps out? They are fine.

Chas. Natwick returned home Tuesday from a month's visit with relatives and friends in Baltimore, Washington and Parkersburg, West Va.

The brewery workers at Keweenaw City have gone out on a strike. The latest reports from that section were to the effect that the weather was very dry there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Miller of Aurora, Ill., are expected in the city on Thursday to spend a short time visiting with Mr. Miller's relatives.

Little Vera Denniston suffered a stroke of paralysis on Monday and has since been quite ill, one side being about helpless.

Charles Kruger departed Tuesday night for Chicago where he will spend the balance of the week on business for the Johnson and Hill Co.

Fine fitting clothes are a specialty at the Grand Rapids Tailoring Co. They have a fine line of goods to show you this season and can guarantee your satisfaction.

Miss Lizzie Flash has leased the empty store room in the Lyon block and will open a candy and ice cream parlor. She expects to be ready by the latter part of the week.

Don't buy a residence lot until you see what I have to offer you. Theron Lyon.

Sampson & Halvorsen have recently installed in their store a number of clothing cabinets which enables them to take care of their stock and handle it much better than they were able to do before.

The band concert this week will be given on Friday evening instead of Thursday, the regular night. The change is necessary because a part of the band will be out of the city on the regular evening.

Joe Corrivau spent Sunday and Monday in the city visiting his parents and other relatives and friends. Joe is still traveling for the McLaughlin company, and is located up to the copper country.

Frank Draper of Allegany, Pa. will address the people at the G. A. R. hall on Thursday evening, May 21st on "What Does the Bible Teach About Repentance After Death."

All are invited to attend.

There will be a social dance at Maroon's hall, Redolph, Thursday evening, May 21st for the benefit of the Redolph ball team. Good music will be on hand and a cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Cards received from A. P. Hitz and Emil Deloff say that they arrived in London May 16th and expected to leave for France on the 8th of May. Their cards were dated on the 14th and arrived here on the 18th.

Johnson & Hill Co. are handling the "Paninular" Red Head High Standard.

The lady minstrel show given by the Lady Macabees on Thursday and Friday evenings of last week was pronounced to be very good by those who attended, but the attendance was not as large as it should have been.

E. J. Bahr of Marshfield spent Monday and Tuesday in the city, being in attendance at the tax sale held on the latter day. Mr. Bahr was on his way home from the southern part of the state, where he had spent a week on business.

The Northwestern Drainage company, in which the Messrs. Arpin of this city are interested, have one of their dredges at work in the northern part of Minnesota. Arthur Arpin is up in that country looking after operations.

Sheriff Welch took the two boys, Ralph and Abraham Elkhorn, to Waukegan on Thursday where they were committed to the industrial school. They would have been taken there before but the school had been in quarantine on account of small pox.

Patronize the Pony Express—Mr. and Mrs. John Beimler of the Brillion have been in the city the past week visiting with their son, Henry Beimler. They left Tuesday morning for Redolph where they will visit with relatives and friends several days before returning to their home.

Mrs. John H. Noves went to Milwaukee Monday and returned Tuesday with her son, Willard, who has been in the hospital six weeks.

FOR SALE—West side Farmers' House, corner of 2nd Ave. So. and Market Square. Has first class finish. A splendid opportunity to make money. Will be sold for a reason. Able as the present owner wants to leave the city. Inquire of Chas. proprietor.

Arrow Blaisie returned on Wednesday from New York City where he had spent a couple of weeks. He was and pleasure combined. He visited several points of interest during his absence and also attended a meeting of the National Fruit Growers Association.

Mrs. Ralph Smith of Cranmoor was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Saturday. Mrs. Smith reports that Mr. Smith is somewhat better but that during his recent illness he lost considerable weight and that it will take him some time to fully recover.

I have one of the finest residences in the city for sale at a bargain. Theron Lyon.

A fifteen year old girl was caught taking money from the till in the Northwestern depot at Marathon City on Wednesday last. Somebody had been tapping the till for a long time and it was only when a man was kept hid in the depot that the thief was discovered.

The first Sunday train was run to Green Bay last Sunday and quite a number took advantage of the opportunity to visit Green Bay and other points along the line. The running of this train makes it possible to go to Wausau Sunday morning and return in the evening.

Mrs. Sophia Widen of Hector, Minn. arrived in the city Saturday for a two weeks visit at the home of her brother, Chas. Johnson, a candy store in the Rosier building several years ago, and is now engaged in the same business in Hector.

Powell, Byers and Dulin are playing with Manitowish this season. Manitowish played the first game of the season last Sunday with Racine and among the special mention made was the batting of Powell and the pitching of Byers. Powell is playing center field and Dulin third base.

A trip thru the country east of this city shows the crops to be coming in good shape so far. Grass has been making a wonderful growth the past few days, as is also the case with grain that are up. The wet weather we have experienced has been very good for the seed and country, but has been a little overdone in some of the clay regions.

The Arpin Cranberry company sometime ago purchased a cranberry marsh at Berlin and the vines are being taken from there and used to plant more acreage at Cranmoor. The company's large marsh is located. The vines are being taken from the Berlin marsh because the water facilities are not as good there as they are at Cranmoor.

Choice buildings are for sale in the city. Enquire of Theron Lyon.

Neal O'Grady, the genial hotel keeper of Nekeosha, was in the city on Tuesday transacting business and favored this office with a pleasant call. Neal recently embarked in the real estate business with his son, Arthur, and last week disposed of two large farms near Neesham to Chicago parties. His son Arthur is located in Chicago and looks after the business down there.

Mrs. Earle Pease left Tuesday noon for Milwaukee where she will spend a few days, after which she will go east where she will spend about six weeks at different points of interest and will also visit her people in the state of Connecticut. Mrs. Pease is also a delegate to the Biennial meeting of club women to be held at Boston in June and she will also attend this meeting.

The saloon keepers of Nekeosha held a conference with President Cowie last Friday evening regarding the enforcement of existing laws and ordinances, the meeting being called by Mr. Cowie to whom it was evident that it would be to the mutual interest of the people and the saloons to have an understanding as to what was expected of the latter. The saloons at Nekeosha close at eleven o'clock at night.

List your property with me; also let me map out your next abstract. Edward N. Pomsinville.

Our Uncle Samuel is setting a bad example at present. By living beyond his income. In the month of March the excess of expenditures over receipts was \$18,000,000, and the deficit for the fiscal year thus far has amounted up to \$35,705,000. How this can occur during a republican administration with a high protective tariff in operation is more than we can understand.

It is understood that when the sherrifs of Wisconsin hold their next meeting one of the things they will ask the legislature for is a four year term. As it now is the term is two years and a man in this office cannot succeed himself. While there are plenty of men who seem perfectly willing to take even a two year term, it seems no more than right that the term should be lengthened to four years.

An exchange says that the series of murders that has occurred on the Guinness farm near LaPorte, Ind., is the only another illustration of the fallacy of trading out of town with a mail order concern. This applies to getting a wife just the same, as a cream separator or a new Brussels carpet or three pounds of tea. There's nothing like patronizing home industry.

Notice to Our Customers—We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not a fiction, but the National Pure Food and Drug by the National Pure Food and Drug Association, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. Daily use of Foley's Honey and Tar will cure a cold, croup, and whooping cough.

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It's time to be looking up the fishing tackle, the season is just about to open. Take a day off and enjoy the sport for the indications are that the fish are plentiful this season. This store is showing the most complete stock of fishing tackle in town. It is easy to make a selection here because we have a big assortment on hand.

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A Merry Widow SALE

JUST received a full line of Fancy Belts, Neckwear, Collars, Veiling in all Colors and Styles.

Merry Widow Fancy Belts, \$1.00

Merry Widow Gilt Belts, 50c

Merry Widow Elastic Belts in Navy Blue, Brown, Black and Tan, 25c

Merry Widow Bows, 25c to \$1.00

Merry Widow Pompadour Hair Crowns, 50c

Merry Widow Hat Pins, 15c up

Our new All Overs and Nets for Waists are beauties and the latest style and all prices suitable for Waist and Trimmings.

A new line of Fancy Trimming Braids in all colors.

A new line of Val Laces, Linen Laces and Fancy Laces.

Our new White Shirt Waists and Skirts are beauties and very cheap. Do you need one? Come and look at our pretty line.

Merry Widow Bow Pins, 25c

Merry Widow Veiling 40 in. wide in Brown and Navy Blue, per yard, \$1.00

Fine White India Linen, 10c value. Sale Price 7c

Fine White India Linen, worth 15c. Sale Price 10c

Fine White India Linen, worth 25c. Sale Price 19c

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GRAND RAPIDS TRIBUNE

BY DRUMB & SUTOR.
GRAND RAPIDS, WISCONSIN.

A friend in need often turns out to be a useful "double".

Dr. Metcalf live on sour milk, or buttermilk, or what?

Wall street will never get over that taste for bumping the bumps.

It is evident that Castro's physician is no longer prescribing rest and quiet.

Oxford is the largest university in the world. It has 21 colleges and five halls.

There are 1,567 walled cities in China where there is neither a foreign nor Chinese pastor.

Helen Gould might be good enough to remember that the prince doesn't want to marry her.

Sometimes Paris would prefer that London should bombard it with shells rather than tourists.

The Hollow Earth Exploring club ought to be able to get information at almost any time.

By this time the fools are wondering whether to take 'em off or wait until the rock-the-bus season opens.

In view of family objections, could Prince Helle be persuaded to take the millions without insisting on the lady?

California is producing the largest crop of lemons the state has ever had, but she isn't going to hand any to the sailors.

There are times when China must be tempted to wish that Japan would get involved in trouble with some remote country.

Judging by the peckaboo wants appearing in the fashion pictures, the politics of the summer will be extremely radical.

Some people talk too much to express one thought on the principle of the man who digs up the whole yard for one inchworm.

To be sure, the price of meat is going up, but the meteorologist is coming, and the price of vegetables will be getting cheaper every day.

A San Francisco rat having chewed off the signature of a last will and testament, the courts decline to follow suit and nullify the document.

Chinamen are festive under the order prohibiting cock and bull fighting. This is about the best authenticated cock-and-bull story in existence.

Miss Helen Gould has been compelled to curtail her charities, but Mrs. Anna does not propose to reduce the extravaganzas of make-believe royalty.

A Paris museum is having difficulty finding room for the diplomas given it by Andrew Carnegie. The obvious thing to do is to store a syllable or two somewhere else.

Those who think Japan can't go to war because of the lack of money forget that the American revolutionaries put up a fight with a paper issue worth no more than a continental.

The first pair of spectacles were made in 1285, and probably that is the date when man first started saying that he couldn't read a subscription paper because he'd lost his glasses home.

The Kaiser, though he finds it impossible to make ends meet on \$1,000,000 a year, probably wouldn't be interested in the current discussion whether a man can afford to get married and raise a family on \$12 a week.

An owl flew out of a burning chimney at Coventry, England, and perched on a brick near at hand. The result was that the brick was completely destroyed, and several stacks of straw barely escaped.

Mr. Burleigh of Maine is one of the few members of the house whose biography omits the familiar sentence: "Studied law at the university." He is a real newspaper man, the publisher of the Kennebec Journal, and has been governor and state treasurer of his state.

Many cases of astigmatism arise from the practice of reading in bed, particularly by persons recovering from a severe illness. It strains the muscles of the eye to such an extent that they alter the curvature of the cornea—the abnormality to which the term astigmatism is applied.

If Dr. Hill takes along a \$4 cigar with him when he goes to call upon the Kaiser we hope he won't make the same mistake as the Maine lawyer who plotted to corrupt the judge, and who in his nervous embarrassment kept his hand on the 50-cent cigar that he had bought and gave the judge the twister.

Mrs. Humphrey Ward is collecting some highly interesting and impressive information in her tour of the public schools of New York city. In one of the largest of these schools, it is reported that 40 per cent of the students there were of foreign birth, but that there was not a pupil in the school either of whose parents was born in America. Quite likely this may be an exceptional case, but there are said to be several other schools in the metropolis where the native born parents are in an insignificant minority.

The aluminum books for the blind now being printed in Edinburgh are of this shape embossed in the usual way. They are easier to read than paper books, do not soil and are practically indestructible. Their expenseiveness is their drawback.

What's this? A gun that will shoot from London to Paris? But then it would also deliver the missiles from Paris to London. No advantage gained by either metropolis. A doubt as to the original statement may also be noted.

The sins you hide in the subcellar always are the ones that make themselves evident clear up to the attic.

The difference between one man and another is not so much in talent as in energy.—Arnold.

We make our own times; such as we are ourselves, such are our times.—St. Augustine.

Love finds its power in loving, and loving is manifest in serving.—Rev. J. Scott Lidgett.

WARNING SOUNDED

DANGERS OF SOIL WASTE AND FOREST DEPLETION TOLD.

HILL'S IMPRESSIVE SPEECH

He Draws Picture of Threatened Political Chaos—State Executives Criticize Forestry Bureau Methods.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—The warning sounded Thursday, at the conference of governors at the White House, of the danger the nation confronts in soil waste and forest depletion. The governors listened and talked and applauded, but took no action.

This was left for Friday, the last day of the conference, and a plan is afoot to have the prepared speeches for that day printed in the record without reading in order that the time may be devoted wholly to results.

The resolutions committee was in session all day and reported in the morning. A supplementary meeting of a number of governors followed the main session, and a committee consisting of the governors of Kentucky, Missouri and Nebraska was appointed to bring in a suggestion for a permanent organization of governors, independent, perhaps, of any other organization.

The conference opened the morning and afternoon sessions, which were thereafter presided over by Gov. Johnson of Minnesota and Gov. Duane of Illinois respectively.

Hill on Forest Depletion.

James J. Hill of the Great Northern, who led a long list of speakers, treated the depletion of forests and the resources in a very serious and impressive way. He presented conditions respecting mineral, soil and forest, showing wanton waste in each instance, and drew a picture of political chaos when all were gone, wherein the people would tear down the very pillars of government. Mr. Hill believed such results could and should be avoided by prompt action.

He pointed out the national conservation received expert treatment by Prof. T. C. Chamberlain of Chicago, and R. A. Long of Kansas City, after which was evidenced the desire of the convention to engage in general discussion. The demand to be heard was insistent, and the same eagerness was manifested in the close of the afternoon program, which included an address on irrigation by former Gov. Pardee of California; a paper on grazing and stock raising, read by H. A. Jastro of California, who was taken ill during the day, and general observations on land conditions in the west by former Senator Carey of Wyoming.

Secretary Wilson heard.

Secretary Wilson made a hearty response to a practical talk on the mistakes in farming and the remedies. The same crop each year on the same land, as he showed, was ruinous. Diversity of crops, and keeping the proper quantity of organic matter in the soil, was the secret of larger production and benefit to the land.

What New York state has and is doing for her forests, was set forth with spirit by J. S. Whipple, forest, fish and game commissioner of the Empire state.

Gov. Glenn Applauded.

Just before the morning session closed Gov. Glenn of North Carolina set the platform and won applause by declaring "In the language of one of the greatest sages and statesmen of these United States—Grover Cleveland—it is a condition and not a theory that confronts us to-day." Forest protection was the nation's present duty, and he advocated cooperation between the states and the nation.

Government Methods Criticized.

Issue was squarely joined as to some of the methods pursued by the government in the regulation of forest reserves by four governors from the Northwest. The first to criticize was Gov. Brooks of Wyoming. He said it was not just to Wyoming, with one-sixth of the nation's forest reserves, to be taxed to support the national forestry organization which did work in all other states, many of which made no revenue return to the organization.

Gov. Culler of Utah was not so pronounced in his criticism, but gave details of what his state had done in irrigation and waterway improvements.

Gov. Gooding of Idaho granted the right of the nation to make waterway improvements, but contended that resources lying within the borders of a state should be left to it.

Gov. Toole of Montana said that his state had 2,000,000 acres of forest, to serve and was not contenting—himself with a mere 100,000 acres. Mr. Secretary (turning to Secretary Garfield).

A general reply to these criticisms was made by Secretary Garfield.

Fritz Scheff Is Divorced.

New York.—A decree of absolute divorce in favor of Fritz Scheff, the actress, was signed Thursday by Justice McCall on a report of a referee who heard the evidence.

Evans Arrives in Washington.

Washington.—With his old-time flow of animal spirits and looking much better than when he landed at San Francisco a few weeks ago, Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans arrived here Thursday night.

Battleship Maryland Wins.

Washington.—The armored cruiser Maryland was the trophy winner in the recent target practice at Magdalena bay. Announcement of this was made at the navy department Thursday.

Alleged Counterfeiters Caught.

St. Louis.—Three ex-convicts were arrested here Wednesday by order of the federal authorities, on the charge of counterfeiting, and in the room which the police raided at St. Louis and Second streets, molds, machinery and bogus coins were found.

Crushed Under Falling Building.

Mazonville, Wis.—William Royston, a carpenter who was crushed under a falling building during the tornado on Monday afternoon, died from the effects of his injuries.

Bad Fire in East St. Louis.

East St. Louis, Ill.—Twenty-seven families were rendered homeless by a fire that late Monday gutted the plant of the General Roofing company and, driven by a high wind, communicated to and destroyed 27 cottages.

Noted Madrid Market Burns.

Madrid.—The celebrated market and general bazaar called locally "Las Americas," and well known to all quarters, was practically destroyed by fire Monday. The flames also consumed 200 wooden cabins.

THREE MORE MEN MISSING

NEW VICTIMS OF MRS. GUNNESS MAY BE REVEALED.

Reports of Physicians Fail to Establish Cause of Woman's Death—Facts About Body.

Laporte, Ind.—Evidence to establish the identity of three additional victims of Mrs. Bella Gunness was the most positive development of a day filled with contradictory happenings.

The new victims of Mrs. Gunness are supposed to have been John Moe of Elbow Lake, Minn.; Henry Gerhart of Scandinavia, Wis., a small town near Iowa, from which Ole O. Budeberg came, and George Brady of Tuscola, Ill.

The reports of the four physicians who conducted the post mortem examinations on the bodies found in the ruins of the Gunness house, April 28, were given to the coroner's jury. They fail to establish the manner in which the woman and three children met death and it is probable that the coroner's jury will return an open verdict regarding them.

The reports made to the coroner's jury by Drs. J. L. Gray, H. H. Long, J. H. Williams and P. T. Wilcox, revealed several circumstances, the existence of which has been carefully guarded from public knowledge. This is particularly true of the document signed by Dr. Gray and having to do with the adult body, supposed to be that of Mrs. Gunness.

The new facts brought to light concerning the body are as follows:

That the right arm is practically complete and that most of the left forearm and hand are in existence. Hitherto the complete arm had been known as the left and the right arm was supposed to have been completely consumed in the fire.

That three things, two containing incisions, had been found on the hands.

The rings presented a puzzle which thus far has not been solved. The incisions contain initials which are unaccountable except upon one hypothesis, that being that the ornaments were the property of Peter Gunness to Mrs. Gunness, or that she obtained possession of them after his death and that she wore them on the night when the house was burned.

TEMPLE OF FRIENDSHIP BEGUN.

President Lays Corner-Stone of Home for Union of Republics.

Washington.—Under splendid auspices of patronage and beautiful spring weather, the corner-stone was laid today by the president Monday of the national home for the International Union of American Republics, or as Secretary Root aptly called it, "a temple dedicated to international friendship."

Three thousand persons, including representatives of political, official and social life in Washington and who occupied seats at the state table composed of speakers of the ceremony, flags and colors of 21 American republics floated in the breeze over the grandstands, while the coats of arms of these countries were displayed at many places about the grounds. The speaker's portion of the presidential stand were the colors of the United States and Brazil, the latter in honor of Ambassador Nabuco.

On the president's stand were seated the cabinet, the supreme court, the diplomatic corps and members of the senate and house of representatives. The official bureau, introduced Secretary Root as the presiding officer.

CONFERENCE ON RESOURCES.

President Opens Important Meeting at the White House.

Washington.—The national conference on the Conservation of Natural Resources opened at Washington Wednesday morning, with the governors of nearly all the states of the union and prominent men representing every line of thought and industry of the nation in attendance. The conference will continue in session for three days, and is destined to prove of value and importance to the entire nation in the results achieved.

The feature of the first session was the address of President Taft, who welcomed the delegates, who came at his request, and outlining the purpose of the conference and the need of conserving the natural resources of the nation.

Millionaire's Son Arrested.

St. Louis.—Robert W. Fullerton, son of S. H. Fullerton, millionaire lumberman of St. Louis, is in San Francisco in the custody of detectives, according to telegrams received here Tuesday. The telegrams also state that the arrest was made at the instance of District Attorney Joseph P. Mahoney.

Warrant procured by Gladys Hobart, charging breach of promise and offenses said to have occurred when a party of Cornell students went to New York "on a lark."

Falling Rock Kills Miners.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.—A fall of rock and coal in the Prospect colliery of the Lehigh Valley Coal company at Midvale, Pa., killed four miners and injured three others.

Pathetic Death of Aged Woman.

St. Louis.—After having traveled all the way from Seattle, Wash., to visit her son, who resided at the city prison, Mrs. E. A. Thompson, aged 50, died in Union station Wednesday soon after arriving.

Blast Kills Seven Miners.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.—Seven mine workers were instantly killed and more than a dozen injured Tuesday afternoon in an explosion at the Midvale colliery of the Temple Coal and Iron company at Wyoming, Pa.

Dr. Benjamin J. Fernie Dies.

New York.—Benjamin James Fernie, E. D. Dr. for many years associate editor of the Christian Herald, died at Lakewood, N. J., after a prolonged illness. He was born in Shropshire, England, in 1842.

Victory for Osteopaths.

New York.—Osteopaths were declared Monday to be practitioners of medicine and the board of health of New York was directed to register a practitioner of that school as a physician, by Justice Dickey.

Alleged Blackmailers Arrested.

Bloomington, Ill.—Roy Waller, aged 18, was arrested at Lincoln Monday, charged with threatening Elmer L. Keays, a wealthy resident of Elkhart, with death unless he paid \$500 in a designated spot.

THE PRESIDENT IS DELIGHTED.

HE IS ENTERTAINING THE GOVERNORS AT THE WHITE HOUSE.



He is Entertaining the Governors at the White House.

M'KEE DIVORCE IS GRANTED

Mother Given Custody of the Child, Provisionally—Reconciliation Deemed Impossible.

Paris.—The court Thursday granted the Hart-McKee divorce, finding that both Mr. and Mrs. McKee had contributed to the unhappiness of their household. Mrs. McKee is given custody of their child with the provision that Mr. McKee be allowed to have the child one month yearly, as well as be permitted to see it twice a week if living in the same city or town.

The court also found that Mr. McKee's charges that Col. Baxter and Mrs. McKee, his daughter, had inspired libelous articles against him in the American newspapers were not proved and dismissed the case. Mr. McKee was ordered to contribute \$1,000 francs monthly for the support of his child.

The divorce suit was brought in this city by Mrs. McKee, formerly Mrs. Hugh Tevis.

The court was of the opinion that a reconciliation between the McKees was impossible, so a separation was the wisest thing. It found the husband guilty of violence and of having committed grave wrongs toward his wife, saying he had yielded on the slightest provocation to the impulses of his vicious nature. He had aggravated these wrongs by bringing charges against his wife which he could not prove, as well as by having read in court his wife's love letters, which "elementary decency" should have prevented him from making public.

Further, the court found that the wife on her side unwarrantably attacked her husband by making charges in connection with the disappearance of her jewels and other property, charges which were entirely disproved. The tribunal referred to the notarial court all financial questions pending between Mr. and Mrs. McKee.

The court divided the costs between the plaintiff and the defendant. The formal decision reads as follows:

"The court grants the divorce at the request of and in the interest of both parties."

HITS AT CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Bitter Attack by Bishop Nealey at Methodist Conference.

Baltimore, Md.—Another bitter attack upon the Roman Catholic church characterized the meeting of the general conference Thursday, when Bishop Nealey scored the record of that church in South America and accused it of mingling in the politics of this country, declaring that its influence is felt in our state and municipal governments and at Washington.

Now aimed at the field secretaries of the Foreign Missions society in a memorial introduced in the committee on foreign missions, asking that they be abolished. Motives of economy are said to have inspired the memorial.

Bishop of Cleveland Dead.

Canton, O.—Rt. Rev. Ignatius P. Hartsman, bishop of the Catholic diocese of Cleveland, was stricken with heart failure here Wednesday after having celebrated mass at St. John's church. He remained unconscious for some time but finally responded to stimulants. Later, however, he suffered another attack and died at 9:30 o'clock.

Temple for Springfield Masons.

Springfield, Ill.—With imposing ceremonies and with a parade of all the Masonic bodies in the city, the corner-stone of the new Masonic temple, to cost \$100,000, was laid Thursday afternoon by the grand lodge of Illinois.

Socialists Nominate Debs.

Chicago.—The charge of gas rule and excitement verging upon the riotous, Eugene V. Debs once more was selected as the presidential nominee of the Socialist party at an early-hour Friday morning.

Hat Makers Looked Out.

Orange, N. J.—The eight hat manufacturing factories here closed their doors Thursday, claiming about 2,800 operators out of employment, because of a failure to reach an agreement with their men as to wages and conditions.

Well-Known Lake Captain Dies.

Watertown, N. Y.—Capt. H. L. Mills, aged 48, one of the best-known captains on the upper lakes, died suddenly Thursday of acute indigestion. He sailed between Buffalo and Duluth practically all his life.

Church and Parish Home Burn.

Milwaukee.—The Catholic church of New Cohn, south of this city, considered one of the finest country churches in the state, and the parish home adjoining, were ruined by fire Wednesday. The church and parish house were valued at \$50,000.

French Finish the Tibetans.

Casablanca, Gen. d'Amade, at the head of three columns, conducted a raid on the Tibetans living in the Mokrara mountains. He razed their crops and destroyed several camps.

Pensions for Two Loyal Indians.

Washington.—The senate Tuesday passed a bill to give pensions at the rate of \$20 per month to Bull Snake and Old Coyote, Crow Indians who went to the relief of Custer and Crook in their fight with the Sioux Indians in 1876. Both were wounded.

Oklahoma Senators Fight.

Guthrie, Okla.—The two senators, Oklahoma and Matthews engaged in a fight on the floor of the state senate Tuesday. They were separated by the sergeant-at-arms.

HELGELEIN BURIED

GUNNESS VICTIM IS INTERRED AFTER IDENTIFICATION.

WOMAN HERSELF IS DEAD

Doubt Removed by Dentist's Examination of Jawbone Fragments—David Havens and Charles Edmonds Found.

Laporte, Ind.—The first of the Gunness victims to be interred with Christian rites was buried Friday night in Patton's cemetery, on the outskirts of Laporte. The corpse was that of Andrew K. Helgelein of Mansfield, S. D., the last man to meet his death in the trap to which Mrs. Gunness lured her victims.

The body was released for burial after Coroner Mack had received the reports of the Bertillon experts who have examined it and compared their findings with figures taken from the records of the Minnesota penitentiary at Stillwater.

"The identification of the piece of jawbone taken from the ruins of the Gunness farmhouse as a portion of Mrs. Gunness' skull, bears out most conclusively the contents of the state regarding the identity of the bodies found in the cellar on April 28. It is the clinching bit of evidence which should set at rest the rumors that Mrs. Gunness had escaped."

This statement was made by Ralph N. Smith, prosecuting attorney Friday night, following a report from Dr. C. P. Norton, a dentist, who found that the piece of charred bone presented characteristic conditions which he had observed while working on Mrs. Gunness' teeth.

David Havens, for whom both the defense and state were suit to have been searching, was found Friday at Callion, Mich. He was one of the men who helped disinter the bodies from the ruins of the farmhouse and his departure from this vicinity had given rise to comment. He explained, in his communication to the city authorities, that he had merely gone to Michigan in search of work.

Another missing man also turned up in Chicago, Edmonds, a former employee of Mrs. Gunness, who was supposed to have been one of her victims. He has been working at a farm only a few miles from the Gunness place.

SENATE PASSES ALDRICH BILL.

Substitutes It for Vreeland Measure Adopted by House.

Washington.—The Vreeland currency bill, which was passed by the house Thursday, was delivered to the senate Friday and passed by that body.

The bill, which was introduced by Senator Aldrich, was a report from the committee substituting the Aldrich bill in an amended form for the house measure and in that form it was passed by the senate. This action threw the bill into conference, the house refusing to accept it.

ILLINOIS SUES FOR FEES.

Action Against Sureties of Former Treasurers and Auditors.

Springfield, Ill.—Five suits in action of debt aggregating \$1,750,000, and for damages of \$150,000, were filed in the Sangamon county circuit court Friday by Attorney General William H. Stead and Gov. Charles S. Deneen against the sureties of former state treasurers and one former state auditor, for fees retained during their administrations for collecting interest on county, municipal and district bonds.

TWO KILLED IN COLLISION.

Trains Crash in Oklahoma—Fifteen Passengers Are Hurt.

Muskogee, Okla.—South-bound passenger train No. 5 on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad, due to arrive in Muskogee at 11:20 Friday morning and running 50 minutes late, collided head-on with three miles north of Muskogee at noon with a freight train bound through town. Two trainmen were killed and 15 passengers injured.

Mrs. Metesker Is Acquitted.

Cassopolis, Mich.—The acquittal of Mrs. Christina Metesker of South Bend, Ind., of the charge of murdering Carlotta Morgan of South Bend, at three o'clock on the morning of April 15 outside the home of Mrs. Mae Green in this city, was the occasion of an unprecedented demonstration in court late Friday. Deaf to warnings and threats of arrest, the crowd cheered and clapped hands and sang. Several hundred people escorted Mrs. Metesker to the depot.

Omaha Has \$500,000 Fire.

Omaha, Neb.—The old plant of the Omaha Packing company in South Omaha was destroyed by fire Friday night, together with 3,000,000 pounds of meat, involving a loss estimated at \$500,000.

New York Firemen Dyed.

New York.—Working in relays and temporarily blinded by sparkling dye Thursday, the firemen Friday fought a fire in the factory of Holliday, Read & Sons, manufacturers of aniline colors and chemicals. Firemen who mounted the fire escape volumes of smoke laden with dyes and those who fought their way into the building were covered from head to toe with a burning of colors which in some instances burned their hands and blinded their eyes.

Art Dealer Is Arrested.

New York.—William Clausen, one of the most prominent art dealers in the city, was arrested Friday on a charge of selling stolen art.

Girl Killed by Playmate.

Eau Claire, Wis.—Gertrude, 13-year-old daughter of Orville Knapp, of Brunswick, was accidentally shot and killed Friday by Henry Droege, a playmate.

Registered Mail Robbed.

Winthrop, Man.—The police have discovered that the registered mail, which was carried by express, was stolen from the post office in the last few weeks. Twelve thousand dollars or its equivalent has disappeared.

Minneapolis Warehouse Burns.

Minneapolis, Minn.—A fire completely destroyed the Central warehouse at 630-700 First street North, together with the contents. The loss was estimated at \$100,000.

AT A CRITICAL TIME.

Women Are Likely to Suffer with Dangerous Kidney Disorders.

Really Able Argument Put Forward by Accused Sailor.

A very good story has recently been told in the fact of an incident which happened when Admiral Evans was in command of the Indiana. An old-time bluejacket was at the mast before Capt. Evans, charged with getting food out of a mess chest outside of meal hours. This getting of food at night was a common and strong desire on the part of most men about ship.

Capt. Evans asked the man what he had to say, and the man, seeing in the delicate situation, said:

"Captain, I didn't take no food out of that chest. Why, captain, there weren't no food in that chest! I looked in that chest, and, captain, I met a cockroach coming out of that chest with tears in his eyes."—Hearst's Weekly.

VERY O. T.

Stork—I see you've got the gout, Manly.

Manly—Wrong. Hear of centipede being caught searching?

Stork—Yes.

Manly—Well, I put my foot on him and got burned.

COMPLAINTS ABOUT PAINT.

The time to complain about paint is before the painter applies it. The man who puts up the money should not shirk the responsibility of choosing the paint. True, the painter ought to know paint better than the merchant. The trouble is, the house owner too often deliberately bars the competent and honest painter from the job by accepting a bid which he ought to know would make an honest job impossible.

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The New Baby.

A young woman of a religious turn of mind wished to announce to a friend the birth of her first-born child. She

